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# RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL AND FEE AUTHORIZATION

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 15162/03230		SERIAL NO.: 09/878,475	
FILING DATE: June 11, 2001	CONFIRMATION NO: 1997	EXAMINER: Timothy J. Thompson	GROUP ART UNIT: 2873
INVENTOR(S): Kaori KOJIMA and Hitoshi HAGIMORI			
TITLE OF INVENTION: IMAGING LENS DEVICE			

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
WASHINGTON, DC 20231

TRANSMITTED HERewith FOR THE ABOVE IDENTIFIED  
PATENT APPLICATION IS:

- ☒ (A) A response to the Office Action dated: February 3, 2003
- ☐ (B) A Petition for Extension of Time  
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☐ for 3 months;  
A Petition for Extension of Time, having been previously filed,  
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☐ for 3 months
- ☐ (C) A request for approval of proposed drawing changes.
- ☐ (D) A Notice of Appeal. \$
- ☐ (E) An Appellant's Brief on Appeal. \$
- ☐ (F) Other: \$
- ☐ (G) A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27
- ☐ Small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been previously established

☒ The claims fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	23	MINUS	20	3
INDEP.	9	MINUS	5	4
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				

SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADD'L FEE
x \$9	\$
x \$42	
+ \$140	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$ 0.00

LARGE ENTITY	
RATE	ADD'L FEE
x \$18	\$ 54.00
x \$84	336.00
+ \$280	
TOTAL ADD'L FEE	\$ 390.00

- ☒ Please charge \$390.00 to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260, which includes  
☒ the amount of \$390.00 for the claims fee calculated above AND/OR  
☐ the amount of \$ for the fee for item(s) ☐ (B) ☐ (D) ☐ (E) ☐ (F), *supra*
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees (other than issue fee) required during the pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 18-1260. Please credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-1260.
- ☒ A duplicate copy of this Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization is enclosed.

April 29, 2003  
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Docket No. 15162/03230

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

101A  
5-9-03  
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In re

U.S. Application of:

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For:

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**AMENDMENT**

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated February 3, 2003 which provides for a response period ending May 3, 2003.

This Amendment has been prepared in accordance with the Revised Amendment Format as set forth in the USPTO OG Notice "Amendments in a Revised Format Now Permitted" of February 25, 2003.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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